GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Registration & Stamps Department – News Item published in Andhra jyothi daily on 26.04.2019 as "Vijaya Aasthi Kabja"- Registration of Document No.216/2019 of SRO, Rapur – Departmental Proceedings initiated against Sri P.Rama Prasad, Sr.Asst, SRO, Rapur - Article of Charges framed - Regular Enquiry Officer appointed – Enquiry Report received and communicated – Explanation received– Show Cause Notice issued – Imposition of punishment of 3% cut in monthly pension permanently against Sri P.Rama Prasad, Sr.Asst, SRO, Rapur – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.371 Dated:01.08.2023

Read the following:

1. Charge memo No.S/339/2019-1 issued by the DIG(R&S), Nellore, dated:03.05.2019.
2. WSD submitted by Sri P. Rama Prasad, Sr. Asst., dt:20.05.2019.
3. Proceedings No.S/339/2019-1 of DIG(R&S), Nellore, dt.29.05.2019.
4. Proceedings No.S/339/2019-1 of DIG (R&S), Nellore, dt.29.05.2019.
5. District Registrar(MV & Audit), Nellore, Lr.No.MV/54/2019,dated:17.02.2020.
6. From the DIG, R&S, Nellore, Letter No.S/339/2019, dt. 16.3.2020.
7. Memo No. REV01-REGS0CIRV(DISC)/14/2020, dt:08.09.2020.
8. Explanation submitted by Sri P. Rama Prasad, Sr. Asst (Retd.), dated:07.10.2020.
9. From the C&IG (R&S), Lr.No.X1/2831/2019, dt:15.12.2020.
10. Govt.Memo No. REV01-REGS0CIRV(DISC)/14/2020-2, dt.22.2.2021.
11. From the I&G (R&S), Lr.No.X1/2831/2019, dt:12.01.2022.
12. Memo No.REV01-REGS0CIRV(DISC)/14/2020-5, Dated:11.04.2022.
13. From C&IG, R&S, Letter No.X1/2831/2019, dt.25.05.2022.
14. Govt. Letter No. REV01-REGS0CIRV(DISC)/14/2020-6, dt.01.09.2022.
15. From the Secretary, APPSC,Lr.No.GAD03-APPS0DCC/82/2022-DC-SECAPPSC, Dt:09.11.2022.
16. Memo No.REV01-REGS0CIRV(DISC)/14/2020-7, Dated: 07.03.2023.
17. Explanation of Sri P.Rama Prasad, Sr.Asst., (retd), SRO, Rapur, SPSR Nellore District dt.Nil.

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ORDER :

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, disciplinary proceedings were initiated under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991, by framing the following Article of Charge against Sri P.Rama Prasad, Senior Assistant, Sub Registrar Office, Rapur (Retd):-

> *"While discharging duties as in charge Joint Sub-Registrar, S.R.O., Rapur, he has committed grave misconduct in registering a document No. 216/2019 of SRO, Rapur without verifying the R.O.R. entries related to the Sellers/Executants of the documents with those of web land and there by violated the section 6(d) of AP Rights in Land and Pattadar Pass Book Act 1971 and the executive instructions issued by the Commissioner and Inspector General of Registration and Stamps, AP, Hyderabad vide Memo G1/9732/2013, dated 17-07-2013 and the Commissioner and Inspector General of Registration and Stamps, A.P. G3/12238/2014, dated 07-09-2015 thereby contravened Rule3 of APCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964".*

2. The Charged Officer has submitted Written Statement of Defence vide reference 2nd read above and after examining the same, Regular Enquiry Officer was appointed by the Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Nellore vide reference 3rd read above and the Regular Enquiry Officer, vide reference 5th read above, has submitted his Enquiry Report holding that the charge is proved against the Charged Officer.

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3. Government, after examining the matter, have accepted the findings of the enquiry officer and communicated a copy of the enquiry report to the charged officer, vide reference 7th read above and in reply, the Charged Officer has submitted his explanation on the findings of the Enquiry Officer, vide reference 8th read above.

4. Government, after careful examination of the enquiry report and the representation thereon of Sri P.Rama Prasad, Senior Assistant, Sub Registrar Office, Rapur (Retired), have provisionally decided to impose punishment of 3% cut in monthly pension for a period of one year on him and accordingly, a Show Cause Notice was issued vide reference 12th read above. In reply, the Charged Officer has submitted his explanation through the Commissioner & Inspector General (R&S) vide reference 13th read above. Government, after examining the entire matter, have decided to impose punishment of 3% cut in monthly pension for a period of one year against Sri P.Rama Prasad, Senior Assistant, Sub Registrar Office, Rapur (Retired) in this matter and accordingly, the sought the concurrence from the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission vide reference 14th read above. The Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission has informed that after examination of the proposal in light of records made available, Commission opines that it is imperative that the punishment imposed is not only commensurate to the nature of delinquency of the Government servant, it should also be corrective and having a salutary effect and therefore advised to enhance the penalty to three percent (3%) cut in pension permanently in place of only one year.

5. Government, after careful examination of the advice of the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission under the AP Secretariat Business Rules, Government have decided to impose the penalty to three percent (3%) cut in pension permanently in terms of Rule 9 of AP Revised Pension Rules, 1980 and accordingly, a Show Cause Notice was issued vide reference 16th read above. In reply, the Charged Officer has submitted his explanation vide reference 17th read above.

6. Government, after examining the entire matter, have decided to impose punishment of 3% cut in monthly pension permanently against Sri P.Rama Prasad, Senior Assistant, Sub Registrar Office, Rapur (Retired). Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose the punishment of 3% cut in monthly pension permanently against Sri P.Rama Prasad, Senior Assistant, Sub Registrar Office, Rapur (Retired), in this matter.

7. The Commissioner & Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, A.P., Vijayawada / the Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Nellore shall take necessary further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri P.Rama Prasad, Sr.Asst, SRO, Rapur (Retd.) (through the Deputy Inspector General (Registration & Stamps), Nellore with a request to serve the memo to the individual and furnish the served copy with dated acknowledgement).
The Commissioner & Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Tadepalli, Guntur District.
The Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Nellore.
Copy to:
The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Vijayawada.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Pay and Account Officer, C-Block, Anjaneya Towers, Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh.
The District Treasury Officer, Guntur.
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SECTION OFFICER